IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0049] of the Specification with the following amended paragraph:

[0049] The mixtures of the invention may comprise at least one crosslinking agent containing on average per molecule at least two reactive functional groups which are complementary to carbamate groups and allophanate groups. In that case, the mixtures of the invention in question are externally crosslinking. As used herein, a functional group which is "complementary" to another group refers to a functional group which is chemically reactive with said group.